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- (3) The answer is in the negative.
- (4) and (5). No answer is necessary.
- (6) The question is too general and cannot be satisfactorily answered.

**380. Mr. K. T. Mathew.**—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether the Government have read the article published in the 'ചിത്രക' dated 31st October 1928 under the caption "കൊച്ചിയിൽ" and the following statement contained in it "ഇന്ത്യയിൽ വിശ്വകോശം ഇന്ത്യയിൽ ഉൾപ്പെടെയുള്ളവർക്കു";

(2) where was the Sub-Inspector, referred to in the article, posted at the time the article was published;

(3) where is he now posted to do duty;

(4) whether a thorough enquiry will be conducted against all the complaints reported against this Sub-Inspector in the last twelve months removing him from the scene of action referred to;

(5) whether the reports of the complaints already enquired into will be placed on the Table and state what action has been taken based on these reports?

**Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.**—(1) Yes.

(2) At Kunnamkulam.

(3) He is now under suspension.

(4) It is being conducted.

(5) The matter is under enquiry.

**Special Session of the Nambudiri Yogakshemam Sabha.**

**381. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.**—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the names of the Police officials who attended the Special Session of the Nambudiri Yogakshemam Sabha at Trippunittura to consider the further steps to be taken with regard to the Nambudiri social legislation on 26th Thulam 1104;

(b) have the officers of the Cochin Police Force attended before this any of the sessions of the Nambudiri Yogakshemam Sabha held at Trichur, Perumanam, Nedumpura and Panjal in the Cochin State to discuss the social matters of the Nambudiris; if so, when and who are the officials who attended;

(c) is there any special reason for the Police officials to attend the session in large numbers at Trippunittura on 26th Thulam 1104;

(d) have the Police officials in Cochin attended the social Conference of Nayars, Christians or Ezhuvas in Cochin during the last 5 years; if so, when and who are the officers who attended;

(e) is it true that the Divisional Police Inspector was abusing the Nambudiris in the Conference Hall with a threat that they will be taught a lesson soon;

(f) where were the District Magistrate and the Police Commissioner camping on that day and was their business in the camp connected with the meeting of the Yogakshemam Sabha?

**Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.**—(a) A Division Inspector Mr. Renganatha Ayyar, Probationary Inspector, Mr. Mannadi Nayar, Trippunittura Sub-Inspector Mr. N. A. Krishna Menon and a couple of constables.

(b) The information is not available as the dates of such events are not given.

(c) Yes, because it was reported that there was likelihood of a serious breach of peace.

(d) The information cannot be furnished unless specific instances are given.

(e) The answer is in the negative.

(f) The Police Commissioner was camping at Ernakulam and the District Magistrate at Trippunittura. The record of the work of these officers is treated as confidential, and Government regret that the information sought for cannot be furnished.

**382. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.**—Will the Government be pleased to place on the Table the diaries of the District Magistrate and the Police Commissioner from 24th Thulam 1104 to 27th Thulam 1104?

**Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.**—As the diaries of the District Magistrate and the Police Commissioner are of a confidential nature they cannot be placed on the Table.

**Temporary shed in the Ernakulam Foreshore maidan.**

**383. Mr. A. B. Salem.**—Will the Government be pleased to inform:—

(a) whether they are aware of the existence of a katcha cadjan shed used as a tea shop on the Ernakulam Foreshore maidan to the immediate south of the Ernakulam-Cochin Ferry new building shed;

(b) the extent of the area occupied by the shed mentioned in question No. (a);

(c) the terms of the tenure by which the land occupied by the sheds mentioned in question (a) above is held;

(d) whether it was not and is not the policy to keep the foreshore absolutely clean and free of all such sheds, huts, etc.;

(e) when was this policy, whereby all the existing huts were cleared of the foreshore maidan, abandoned or modified to allow the now existing shed;